

Also enclosed is an executed Assignment document and Assignment Recordation cover sheet for **Troy P. Christensen**. The Assignment Recordation fee of \$40.00 is included in the attached check. Applicants note that the Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document issued January 26, 2002 did accurately reflect **Troy P. Christensen's** execution date of the Assignment document as November 30, 2001 even though **Troy P. Christensen's** executed Assignment was not at that time filed with the United States Patent & Trademark Office. Accordingly,

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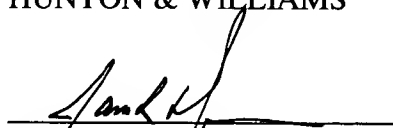
Applicant's request recordation of the attached Assignment document to complete the recordation at the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

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Submitted herewith is a check totaling \$170.00 (\$130.00 to cover the surcharge for late filing of the Declaration; and \$40.00 to cover the filing fee for the Assignment Recordation). Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:
Troy P. Christensen
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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